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Applicants: Hideki AKIYAMA et al. Conf: 5566
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 30, 2002 (Paper No. 6), the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Please substitute the attached Abstract of the Disclosure for that originally filed.

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Please amend FIGS. 5(a) and 5(b) as indicated in red in the attached sheet.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 4 and 13 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

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